

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA, NORTHERN DIVISION

AARON LEE JONES,)
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Plaintiff,) CIVIL ACTION NO.
)
v.) 2:06cv986-MHT
)
RICHARD ALLEN, et al.,)
)
Defendants.)

AGREED ORDER PERMITTING DEFENDANTS' DISCLOSURE OF
PROTECTED HEALTH INFORMATION UNDER HIPAA

In accordance with 45 C.F.R. § 164.512(e), enacted
pursuant to the Health Insurance Portability and
Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA), the parties in the
above-titled action, by their attorneys, hereby stipulate
and agree that Requests 70 and 71 of the plaintiff's
First Request for the Production of Documents dated
January 9, 2007 seek information that is confidential
pursuant to HIPAA. As information responsive to said
requests is confidential pursuant to HIPAA, disclosure

will be conducted pursuant to the following terms, restrictions, and conditions:

1. Information responsive to said requests shall be deemed confidential and disclosed only in accordance with the agreed confidentiality order entered by this court on December 27, 2006.
2. Within 60 days of the termination of this action, plaintiff's counsel shall return to the defendants all protected health information disclosed in response to said requests (including all copies made) or provide the defendants satisfactory assurances that all such information has been destroyed.
3. Such information shall be used solely for the purpose of litigating this action.

It is so ORDERED that the joint motion (doc. no. 19) is granted as set forth above.

DONE, this the 8th day of March, 2007.

/s/ Myron H. Thompson
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

WE ASK FOR THIS:

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